



Ms. Kathleen Meier (SR-6J)
Remedial Project Manager
U.S. EPA Region 5
77 West Jackson Boulevard
Chicago, IL 60604-3507

June 8, 2018

Re: **Monthly Progress Report, May 2018**
L.A. Darling Former Facility, NBFF OU2

Dear Ms. Meier,

Pursuant to Section XI. Order, paragraph 42. Progress Reports of the Administrative Order for Remedial Design and Remedial Action effective July 3, 2011 for the above referenced facility; this is the Monthly Progress Report for work completed during **May 2018**.

ACTIVITIES COMPLETED AND ANY PROBLEMS ENCOUNTERED –

1. **Investigation Derived Waste** – Soil cuttings from the Pumping Test well installations were disposed of by Waste Management on May 22, 2018.
2. **95% Design Report** – The Revised Pumping Testing Report (Appendix B to 95% Design Report) and the Revised Section 5.3 (Groundwater Remedial Action Alternative 1 – Phase II, Groundwater Extraction and Treatment System, Continued Land Use, Groundwater Use Restriction Ordinance, Short-term Fencing, and Monitoring) were submitted to MDEQ and USEPA for review and comment on May 31, 2018.

VALIDATED DATA RECEIVED AND NOT PREVIOUSLY REPORTED -

1. **Lab Data-** No site groundwater data generated in **May 2018**.

RD/RA WORK PLANNED FOR NEXT 90 DAYS –

1. **On-Site Inspections-** Maintain contact with RPM and MDEQ for scheduling of any on-site inspections and/or confirmatory groundwater sampling.
2. **Substantive Requirements Document** – Continued discussions with MDEQ Water Resources Division to obtain a discharge permit for the proposed

groundwater treatment effluent to County Drain #30 will be handled directly by Chris Bade of ASI (231) 845-0371.

ANTICIPATED PROBLEMS AND PLANNED RESOLUTIONS – None.

If you should have any questions or comments regarding this progress report, please do not hesitate to contact me at your convenience (312) 831-3064.

Respectfully,

Stantec Consulting Services Inc.

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "David Powers". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large initial "D" and "P".

David Powers, PG, PMP
Project Coordinator

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